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DEVICE

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X Seven (7) sheet(s) of drawing(s) (__formal/_X_ informal).

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An Assignment of the invention to: <u>STMicroelectronics</u>, Inc.

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